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Case RN98173

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the Application of: Adrien DROMARD, Gérard MIGNANI, Lucile GAMBUT, and Frédéric DALLEMER

Examiner: DELCOTTO, GREGORY R

Serial No: 09/857,578

Art Unit: 1751

Filing Date: August 27, 2001

For: PEROXIDE-COMPRISING POLYORGANOSILOXANES (POS), ONE OF THEIR PROCESSES OF PREPARATION AND THEIR USES, IN PARTICULAR AS BLEACHING AGENT IN DENTAL COMPOSITIONS

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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AMENDMENT UNDER 1.111 and 1.121

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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action of August 15, 2003.

The Commissioner is hereby petitioned under 37 CFR §1.136(a) to grant a three-month extension of time needed for timely response to the Office Action in the above-identified application, and the Commissioner is authorised to charge Deposit Account.

No. 18-1171 the amount of \$950.00 to cover the fee required under 37 CFR 1.17(a).

The Commissioner is hereby authorised to charge any payment associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 18-1171.

In this connection, the Commissioner is in particular hereby authorized to charge payment of:

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- any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16, and
- any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.17, to Deposit Account No.

18-1171.

Reconsideration of the outstanding rejection is respectfully requested in light of the following amendment and remarks.

Please amend the above referenced application as follows: